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**UTILITY  
PATENT APPLICATION  
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Attorney Docket No. 03-8018CIP1

First Inventor Lester Chu

Title INFORMATION DISTRIBUTION SYSTEM AND  
METHOD THAT ORGANIZES LISTINGS USING  
TIERS

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**APPLICATION ELEMENTS**

See MPEP chapter 600 concerning utility patent application contents.

1.  Fee Transmittal Form (e.g., PTO/SB/17)  
(Submit an original, and a duplicate for fee processing)

2.  Applicant claims small entity status.  
See 37 CFR 1.27.

3.  Specification [Total Pages 95]  
(preferred arrangement set forth below)  
- Descriptive title of the invention  
- Cross Reference to Related Applications  
- Statement Regarding Fed sponsored R & D  
- Reference to sequence listing, a table, or a computer program listing appendix  
- Background of the Invention  
- Brief Summary of the Invention  
- Brief Description of the Drawings (if filed)  
- Detailed Description  
- Claim(s)  
- Abstract of the Disclosure

4.  Drawing(s) (35 U.S.C. 113) [Total Sheets 52]

5. Oath or Declaration [Total Sheets ]  
a.  Newly executed (original or copy)  
b.  Copy from a prior application (37 CFR 1.63(d))  
(for continuation/divisional with Box 18 completed)  
i.  DELETION OF INVENTOR(S)  
Signed statement attached deleting inventor(s) named in the prior application, see 37 CFR 1.63(d)(2) and 1.33(b).

6.  Application Data Sheet. See 37 CFR 1.76

18. If a CONTINUING APPLICATION, check appropriate box, and supply the requisite information below and in the first sentence of the specification following the title, or in an Application Data Sheet under 37 CFR 1.76:

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Prior application information: Examiner \_\_\_\_\_

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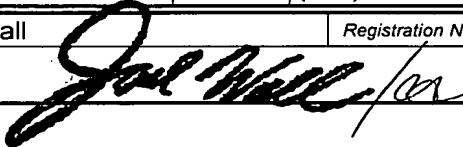
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**19. CORRESPONDENCE ADDRESS**

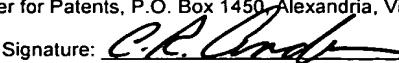
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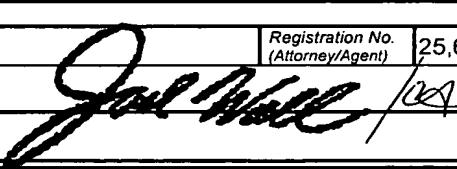
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1812	2,520	1812	2,520 For filing a request for ex parte reexamination
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1401	330	2401	165 Notice of Appeal
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1403	290	2403	145 Request for oral hearing
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1809	770	2809	385 Filing a submission after final rejection (37 CFR 1.129(a))
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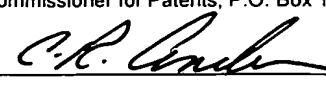
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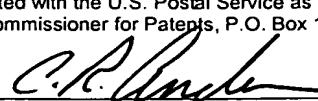
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